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- 25X1X [REDACTED] Comment: [REDACTED] the Zossen booster station may be tied in with the reorganized message center in the basement of the Wunsdorf Sport-
schule, whose existence he has reported previously.)

2. During the first two weeks in June, the Zossen base camp held two motorized infantry regiments, one armored battalion with approximately 100 trucks and 100 guns (not described), and a reconnaissance battalion with an undetermined number of armored cars.

5. In addition to the above units, Zossen is occupied by an infantry regiment which has been there since autumn 1947. These troops recently stated that they will be transferred elsewhere in July, to be replaced by troops coming from Siberia.

4. Dependents of Zossen SMA officers have been advised to prepare for their return to the USSR beginning 15 August. Actual movements begin in September.

5. Troops which evacuated Wunsdorf in late May were replaced by approximately 6,000 MVD troops in early June. In addition, 400 officers of various ranks are living in the Sportschule and commuting daily to the training area, where activity is at a high pitch. No combat vehicles have been observed, but [REDACTED] that tanks and/or other vehicles may have entered the area from the east over closed country roads. He notes that residents of Zesch (Z90) were confined to the village and not permitted to work in the fields between 23 and 25 May.

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Comment: Troops which evacuated Wunsdorf presumably were the 10,000
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6. In both Zossen and Wunsdorf, troop rations continue to be scanty while depots are being filled with foodstuffs. The Zossen infantry regiment (Para. 3, Page 1) receives a ration of three slices of bread and soup at each of the three daily meals, plus a small portion of canned meat at midday. Officers get the same fare, with the addition of 110 grams of fat daily. SMA civilians and officer dependents also receive the fat ration. All Zossen warehouses are completely stocked with food. Wunsdorf stocks include large quantities of butter, margarine, salad oil, canned meat, legumes, grain and flour. As previously reported, officers and NCO's are making house-to-house tours in an effort to buy food supplementing their rations.

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